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Dolly, J.O., et al., Activatable Recombinant Neurotoxins

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**APPLICANT'S REPLY**

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Dear Sir,

This 8 page communication is responsive to a Final Office Action mailed September 22, 2005. The Office Action has been carefully considered, and the Applicants have the following comments:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of the Applicants' Reply.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 3 of the Applicants' Reply.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of the Applicants' Reply.